PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Osamu OKUMURA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2871

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Examiner:

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LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS HAVING

SURFACE ROUGHNESS IN THE TRANSMISSIVE AREA AND HOMEOTROPIC

ALIGNMENT (As Amended)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.